

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: ANTI-CANCER DNA VACCINE  
EMPLOYING PLASMIDS ENCODING  
SIGNAL SEQUENCE, MUTANT ONCO-  
PROTEIN ANTIGEN, AND HEAT  
SHOCK PROTEIN

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW THE HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment as indicated in the Notification of Abandonment mailed on February 12, 2008.

The Notification of Abandonment indicates that Applicants failed “to respond to the notification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) mailed 09/19/2006 within the time period set therein.” Applicants respectfully submit that a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements was mailed to the Examiner on March 19, 2007. A copy of the filing is enclosed along with the stamped postcard indicating the filing was received on March 22, 2007. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the holding of abandonment.

No fee is believed to be due with this filing. However, if any fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any amounts due to our **Deposit Account No. 06-1448, Reference JHV-050.01.**

Respectfully submitted,  
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